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IN THE UNTIED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Kuighadush

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Serial No:

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September 25, 2000

For:

RETRACTABLE STRAW FOR DRINKING CONTAINERS

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Dear Sirs:

In response to the Order Returning Undocketed Appeal to Examiner dated May 25, 2006 please enter the attached corrected Appeal Brief and following comments regarding the order.

The Order indicates that the required Petition Fee to revive the application was not debited from the Appellant's Account. Appellants note that the fee was paid by check, cancelled copies of which are enclosed. The instruction for the deposit account contained in the Petition to Revive was solely in the case additional funds were needed beyond that provided in the form of a check.

Appellants note that the remainder of the rejections in the order relate to heading information and Appeal Brief Organization pursuant to 37 CFR 41.37(c). Appellants have made the following changes:

- 1) Each subheading was shown with its accompanying regulation;
- 2) "Grounds for Rejection to be Reviewed on Appeal" heading replaces "Issues on Appeal" as per 37 CFR 41.37(c)(1)(vi);
- 3) "Summary of the Claimed Subject Matter" heading replaces "Summary of Invention" as per 37 CFR 41.37(c)(1)(v); and
- 4) The "Evidence Appendix" and "Related Proceedings Appendix" were added and/or properly labeled in accordance with 37 CFR 41.37(c)(1)(ix) and 37 CFR 41.37(c)(1)(x).

Respectfully submitted

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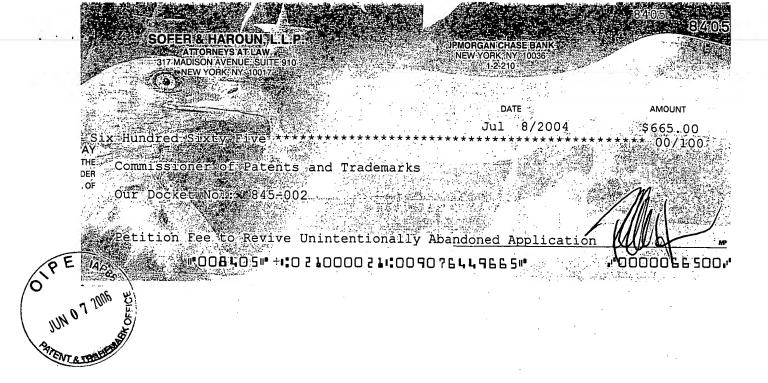
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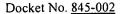
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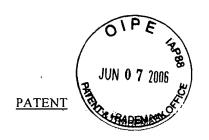
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Sir:

I hereby certify that the attached <u>Appeal Brief</u>, <u>Communication w/ Attachment</u>, and <u>Return Postcard</u> along with any paper(s) referred to as being attached or enclosed and this Certificate of Mailing are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to the: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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